

AMENDMENTS TO THE SPECIFICATION

Please amend the specification as follows:

On page 6, please replace the paragraph at lines 22-25 with the following paragraph:

The three-dimensional shape is further depicted in figure 3 where the lower aspect is the aspect that is placed against the first casting section to provide the denticulation pattern. In addition, as further depicted in figure 3, the volume below the bridges or the backs of the studded plate is vacant.